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GOA (with Panaji)

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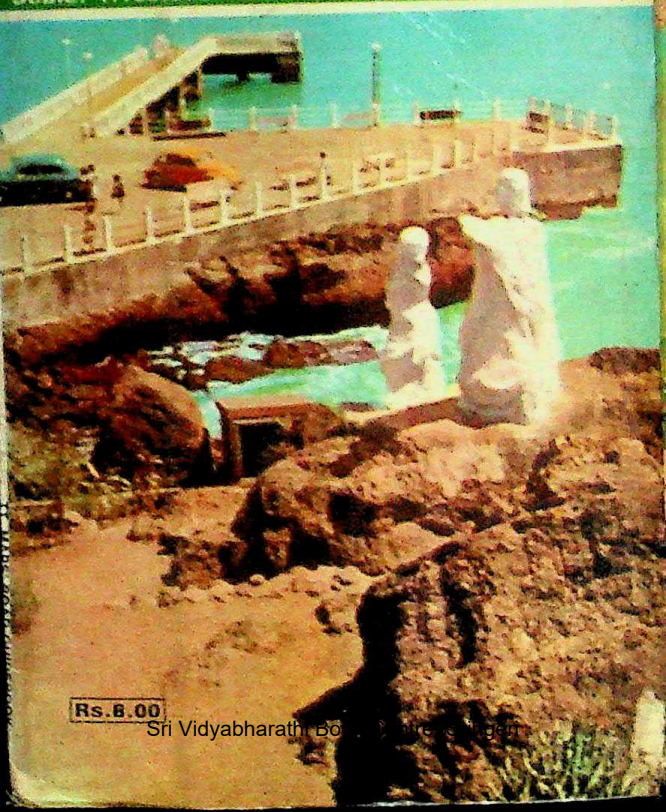

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GOA

Goa, one of the youngest States of the Indian Union, attained statehood after 451 years of colonial rule and 26 years as a Union Territory. It comprises 11 talukas with Panaji as the Capital.

This small tropical paradise lies on the west coast of India. Cradled between the rugged ranges of the Western Ghats and the Arabian sea, this sea-washed, sun-drenched Konkan territory presents a fusion of cultures seldom found anywhere else in the world. Chandeliers oscillate in Hindu temples, mosques are capped by sloping roofs, flowers that adorn the Hindu gods also adorn the altars.

The palm-lined coastal plains, the wooded uplands and beaches so still and endless, create an illusion of lethargy — laziness almost. But, in reality, there are none more than the Goans so full of song, dance and merriment.

Life here is serene, peaceful ... and fun! Just the right combination for a perfect holiday. But in this land of manana, industry thrives too.

AREA	3,702 sq. kms.
POPULATION	1,007,749
LITERACY	57%
LANGUAGES	Konkani, Marathi, Portuguese.
CROPS	Arecanut, Cashew, Coconut, Forest produce, Rice, Millets, Sugarcane.
INDUSTRIES	Cashew, Fertiliser, Fisheries, Food-canning, Liquor, Shipping, Tyres.
ROADS*	*Surfaced* — 3,978 kms. *Unsurfaced* — 4158 kms. *(National Highways* — 224 kms.) *Other roads* — 7,681 kms.
RAILWAYS*	79 kms.
AIRPORTS	Dabolim (Vasco)
CLIMATE	*Temp.* 32°C to 21°C. *Monsoons:* June to October.
BEST	October to May.

* Includes Daman & Diu

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WHERE TO VISIT

*PANAJI

The capital of the Union Territory of Goa, Daman and Diu was only a small fishing village four centuries ago. It is still a midget town, but one of the most beautiful in India. Rising on the wooded terraces of the Altinho Hill, the town slopes down to the Mandovi river. Ferrying across the Mandovi is a unique experience. Its banks are lined with riverside hamlets, red-tiled cottages blend with the groves of palms, casuarinas, mango, jackfruit and cashewnut trees, and Kunbi women in their colourful sarees tucked up, mingle with Roman Catholic priests in their stark white robes.

Amongst the places to see in Panaji is the 14th century **Idalcao Palace**, built by the Sultan of Bijapur, Adil Shah. Today, it houses the Secretariat. Close by is the bronze statue of **Abbe Faria** – believed to be the father of hypnotism – sculpted by Constancio Fernandes. Abbe Faria was born in Goa on May 30, 1756. His revolutionary ideas and scientific genius won him no praise during his lifetime. His contemporaries disowned him, branding him a black magician and a fraud. But Goa today has honoured his name in several institutions.

The Church of Our Lady of Immaculate Conception stands atop Altinho Panaji, seen from here, provides a spectacular spread of smart white houses built in Spanish or Portuguese style, bellowered gardens and plazas and ornate statues decorating broad, tree-lined avenues.

Aguada and Raij Magus forts, across the Mandovi, are also places of interest. The former, a seventeenth century fort, is now the Central Jail.

The Bhagavati temple, 26 kms. from the city, is believed to be 500 years old. Two life-sized images of elephants carved from blackstone guard its entrance.

Goa has 82 miles of coastline. These golden stretches of sand bordering a clear, sapphire sea seemingly endless, are the main attraction of the territory. Less than 3 kms. from the city centre is **Gaspar Dias beach** (Mira Mar), situated just where the Mandovi meets the sea. From here one has an excellent view of the Aguada Fort just across the river. ***Dona Paola beach**, 7 kms. from Panaji is an idyllic spot offering a fine view of Marmagao harbour across the Zuvari river. ***Kalangute Beach**, 15 kms. from Panaji, is the most popular of Goa's beaches. The calm, shallow waters of **Siridao beach**, 6 kms. from Panaji, are ideal for swimming. **Vagator beach**, 25 kms. from Panaji, is secluded. Its beauty is further enhanced by the Chapora fort which marks the entrance to the bay.

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On the outskirts of Panaji is Velha Goa, the 16th century capital of the Portuguese in India. Today it is almost a ghost city. Old Goa was abandoned after the great plague of 1738 struck it a deathly blow, killing more than 2 lakhs people. But the once great city lives on in its churches. Amazingly numerous in number, majestic and grand though they are, what is most appealing about the churches of Velha Goa is their aura, peculiarly Indian, starting from the face of Christ depicted as that of a Hindu saint.

Bom Jesus Basilica, partially in ruins but awesome still, is a fine example of Jesuit architecture. Built in 1594, the interior of this Church is perhaps the richest in Old Goa. The church's most precious relic is the embalmed body of St. Francis Xavier entombed in a marble mausoleum in the Florentine style presented by the Duke of Tuscany, who received the Saint's pillow in exchange. Once every ten years, the mortal remains of St. Francis Xavier are exposed for public veneration. On those occasions, the festivities go on from the last week of December to the first week of January. During the intervening years, the festival is celebrated on December 3rd. The body of the Saint was last exposed in 1974.

Se Cathedral impresses with its vaulted interiors and lofty belfry from where a huge Golden Bell, the biggest in the world, spreads its thunderous peals across the sombre ruins of the former 'golden city'. The Church has 14 side chapels, each built in a different style. The last chapel, in Mauresque style, preserves a cross upon which a vision of Christ is said to have appeared in 1919.

Adjacent to the Cathedral is the **Church of St. Francis of Assisi,** handsome in its simplicity. Built in pure Manueline style, the interior is adorned with a profusion of carvings and exquisite paintings.

Outside this church is the **Chapel of St. Catherine,** one of the earliest churches built in Goa. It was constructed in 1510 on the very spot where Alfonse Albuquerque defeated Adil Shah.

St. Cajetan Church is built in the Corinthian style, on the lines of St. Peter's Basilica in Rome. Interesting to note are the interior decorated in pure, unrestrained baroque, the intricately carved pulpit and a large arched window whose tiny panes are made of seashells. Another interesting church in Old Goa is the **Convent and Church of St. Monica.** Built in Doric style, this refreshingly simple church was once a nunnery housing more than a hundred nuns, the last of whom died in 1885.

St. Augustine Tower is the only remaining tower of the Augustinian Church, which is now in ruins. It was once the largest church in Goa. **The Chapel of St. Anthony, the Convent of St. John of god,** and **the Church of the Rosary** have also managed to survive the ravages of time and man.

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OTHER PLACES OF INTEREST

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*Bondla	55 kms. from Panaji.
Canacona	Temple of Shri Mallikarjun dating back to the middle of the 16th century.
Chador	A huge Nandi in stone, several centuries old.
Cotigao	Wild Life sanctuary.
*Dicholi	A century-old Trimurthy temple called Datta Mandir. People of unsound mind are brought here to be cured. Narsinzgah – a mosque built by Prince Murad, son of Aurangzeb, in commemoration of the historic battle he fought against the Portuguese in 1683.
	Narve (5 kms.) *The Sapta Koteshwar Temple* – The only remaining specimen of the Kadamba period – renovated by Chatrapati Shivaji.
Dudhsagar	Waterfalls, picnic spot.
Harvale	Waterfalls, cave temples dating back to the 6th century.
*Madgaon	Second largest city in Goa and commercial metropolis. It has fine parks, broad squares and palatial houses. The Friday Fair is an added attraction.
	***Kolva Beach** (6 kms.) A series of beaches blended in enchanting natural harmony to provide an 18 km. stretch of silvery sand, with the secluded wilds of **Patolen** and **Betul Beaches** bringing up the far end. A second century Buddha image has also been found near the beach.
	Chandreshwar Bhutnath (16 kms.) Ancient temple.
Mapuca	Fine buildings, gardens. Seminary at Saligao. Retreat House at Bag.
	Kansarpal (14 kms.) *Kalikadevi temple* believed to be about 800 years old.
Mardol	*Shri Mahalsa temple*, which is popular with people of all faiths because the deity Gomantaka is believed to fulfil the wishes of all her devotees.
*Mayem	A lake resort. An ideal picnic spot set amidst rolling green hills.

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Molem	Mahaveer Wildlife sanctuary.
	Surla (8 kms.) 12th century Mahadeva temple.
Parse	An ancient temple, one of the very few dedicated to Lord Brahma, the first god of the Trinity.
Pernem	Temple. Springs with medicinal properties.
Pilar	A church, seminary and school. The city overlooks the Marmagao harbour. 16 kms. from Panaji.
***Ponda**	*Safa Shahouri Masjid.* This is the biggest and most famous of the 27 mosques in Ponda taluka. It was built in 1560 by Adil Shah, Sultan of Bijapur.
	Shri Gopal Ganapati temple is set amidst beautiful natural surroundings. Built in 1966, it is a good specimen of Indian temple architecture synthesising ancient and modern.
	Mahalakshmi temple depicting the goddess wearing a lingam on her head.
	Shri Nagesh temple dedicated to Lord Shiva.
	***Kavalem** (2.5 kms.) *Shanta Durga temple* with an impressive idol of Goddess Durga in a tranquil mood, flanked by Vishnu and Shiva.
	Priol (5 kms.) *Shri Mangesh*, a 400 year old Shiva temple noted for its exquisitely elegant style of architecture. The temple has a lofty sthamba (lamp tower). This is a feature unique to Goan temples.
***Sanguem**	Shri Damodar Temple and Jama Masjid.
Savai Vera	*Ananta temple* showing the unity of Shaivite and Vaishnavite sects of worship.
Salsette	Mausoleum of Madhar Shah.
Sigao	Site of iron ore mines. Over 70 kms. from Panaji.
***Terekhol**	Fort.
***Vasco da Gama**	Originally Sambhaji, this spick and span coastal town has imposing multi-storeyed buildings and a church dominating the city centre.
	Baina Beach is a popular picnic spot.
	***Dabolim**, south-east of Vasco da Gama, is Goa's only airport.

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Marmagao (3 kms.) Fine natural port on the [illegible]

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Taluk Boundary
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NH National Highway
Major Roads
Other Roads
Places of Tourist Importance
Good Accommodation
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KARNATAKA

PERNEM
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MARMAGAO

Arambol
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Keri
Pernem
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Torsem
Hali
Chandel
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Ibrampur
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Nagzor
Maneri
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Harmal Beach
Dunavade
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Dicholi
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Bag Beach
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Porvorim
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Betim
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Mayem Lake
Sarvona
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Piligao
Jua
Marcela Temple
Piedad
Mandovi
Hanza
Diwadi Is.
Kumbhar Juven
Ribandar
River Goa
Velha Gao
Betqui
Orgao
Aguada Fort
Basilica of Bom Jesus
Panaji
Morambim-o-Grande
Banastri
Volvoi
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Pillar Seminary
Goa Vela
Boma
Kundai
Querim
Shri Mangesh Temple
Shri Mahalsa Temple
Mardol
Priol
Agasaim
Cabo
Dona Paul Beach
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Marcaim
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Nagoa
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Tonem
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Derodem
Vageri Hills
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